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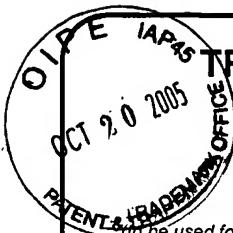
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of September 26, 2005 in the form of a Restriction Requirement, Applicant's elect claim Group I noted in the Office Action as being represented by Claims 1-19. Applicant's reserve the right to file a divisional application for the non-elected subject matter and seek rejoinder upon a dependency change.


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